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AMENDMENT G

The following is in response to the official action dated August 14, 2006. Applicants hereby request a three (3) month extension of time to extend the response period up to and including February 14, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees and any other fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

Please amend the above mentioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.